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# WISCONSIN MEDICAID UPDATE

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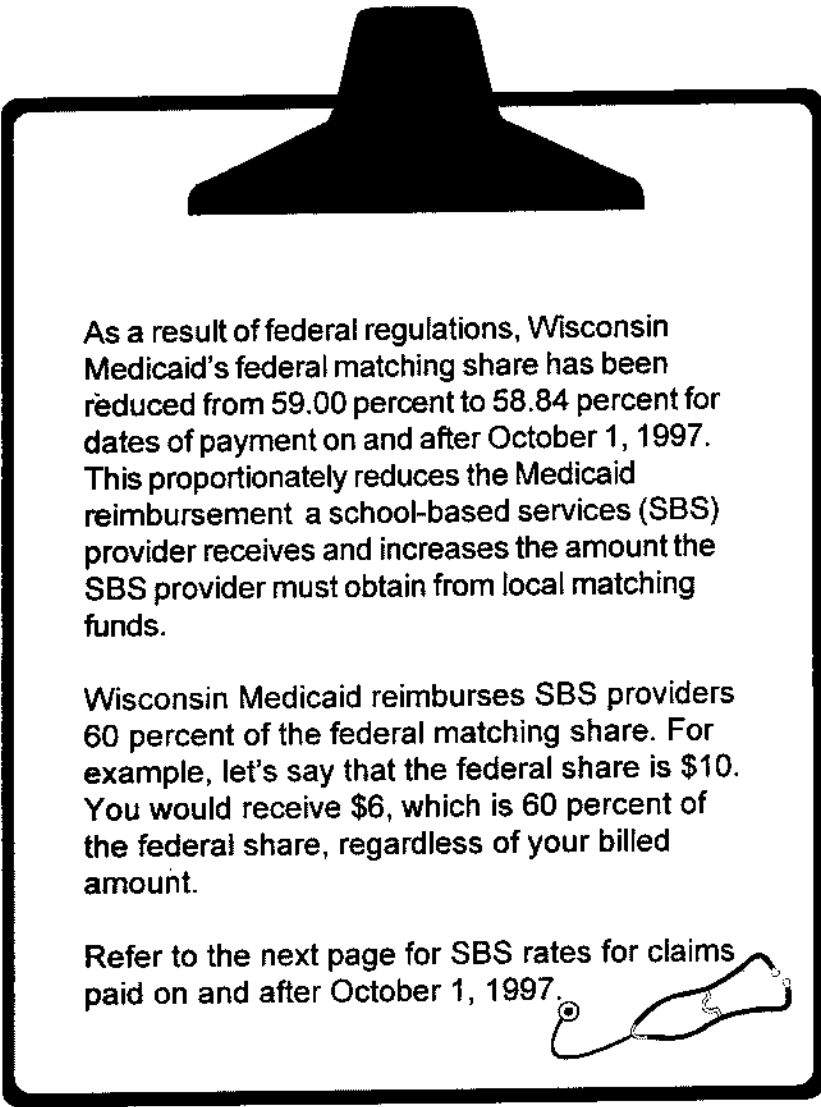
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TO:  
HMOs and Other Managed  
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## Reduced Matching Share for SBS Services - Effective October 1, 1997

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As a result of federal regulations, Wisconsin Medicaid's federal matching share has been reduced from 59.00 percent to 58.84 percent for dates of payment on and after October 1, 1997. This proportionately reduces the Medicaid reimbursement a school-based services (SBS) provider receives and increases the amount the SBS provider must obtain from local matching funds.

Wisconsin Medicaid reimburses SBS providers 60 percent of the federal matching share. For example, let's say that the federal share is \$10. You would receive \$6, which is 60 percent of the federal share, regardless of your billed amount.

Refer to the next page for SBS rates for claims paid on and after October 1, 1997.

**School-based service rates for dates of  
payment on and after October 1, 1997**

<b>Procedure Code</b>	<b>Procedure Code Description</b>	<b>Unit Rate</b>	<b>60% of Federal Share</b>
W6050	IEP Speech, Language, Audiology and Hearing Service: Individual	\$23.24	\$8.20
W6051	IEP Speech, Language, Audiology and Hearing Service: Group	\$7.67	\$2.71
W6052	Speech, Language, Audiology and Hearing Service: Face-to-Face M-Team Assessment and IEP Plan Development	\$23.24	\$8.20
W6053	IEP Occupational Therapy Service: Individual	\$20.12	\$7.10
W6054	IEP Occupational Therapy Service: Group	\$6.64	\$2.34
W6055	Occupational Therapy: Face-to-Face M-Team Assessment and IEP Plan Development	\$20.12	\$7.10
W6056	IEP Physical Therapy Service: Individual	\$23.30	\$8.23
W6057	IEP Physical Therapy Service: Group	\$7.69	\$2.71
W6058	Physical Therapy: Face-to-Face M-Team Assessment and IEP Plan Development	\$23.30	\$8.23
W6059	IEP Psychological Service: Individual	\$20.76	\$7.33
W6060	IEP Psychological Service: Group	\$6.85	\$2.42
W6061	Psychological Service: Face-to-Face M-Team Assessment and IEP Plan Development	\$20.76	\$7.33
W6062	IEP Counseling Service: Individual	\$19.91	\$7.03
W6063	IEP Counseling Service: Group	\$6.57	\$2.32
W6064	Counseling: Face-to-Face M-Team Assessment and IEP Plan Development	\$19.91	\$7.03
W6065	IEP Social Work Service: Individual	\$20.02	\$7.07
W6066	IEP Social Work Service: Group	\$6.61	\$2.33
W6067	Social Work: Face-to-Face M-Team Assessment and IEP Plan Development	\$20.02	\$7.07
W6068	IEP Nursing Service: Care and Treatment	\$11.18	\$3.95
W6069	Nursing: Face-to-Face M-Team Assessment and IEP Plan Development	\$11.18	\$3.95
W6070	Face-to-Face M-Team Assessment and IEP Plan Development: Other Staff	\$20.84	\$7.36
W6072	Durable Medical Equipment	Individually Priced	
W6073	Special Transport, Per Mile	\$2.11	\$0.74

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